

Direct and Indirect Speech

Change the following from direct to indirect speech.

(1) “I’ve been donating one thousand dollars every year to this hospice,” said Mr Foo.

(2) James asked Tom, “Is the charity run tomorrow or next week?”

(3) “I was helping at the home for the elderly the whole day,” said Joe.

(4) “These toys will be given to the children tomorrow afternoon,” said Mary.

(5) “Who donated one million dollars to the fund?” asked the chairman.

Answers

1. Mr Foo said that he had been donating one thousand dollars every year to that hospice.
2. James asked Tom if/whether the charity run was the next day or the following week.
3. Joe said that he had been helping at the home for the elderly the whole day.
4. Mary said that those toys would be given to the children the following afternoon.
5. The chairman asked who had donated one million dollars to the fund.

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